

CRIME AND CASUALTY

BIG FIGHT AT A POLISH DANCE

In Chicago—Two Men Charged Up-Sets
drama in the Walkup Case Closed—A
Novel Lynching in a Georgia
Town—Simeons and Mc-
Kane Elsewhere.

Terrible Calamity

NEW LONDON, Conn., Nov. 2.—A terrible calamity, by which six lives were lost, occurred in the race on Friday night, caused by the explosion of the boiler of steam dredge No. 4, of the Atlantic Dredging company of Brooklyn. The dredge left Providence for New York on the 18th Sunday morning, in tow of the tug C. E. Waite, Captain Tweedy. In order to keep the barge clear of the steam pump and the dredge was kept at work. Just before midnight, when nearing Race Rock light, Captain Tweedy, who was at the helm, heard a noise like a muffled explosion. Light on the dredge and heard a voice, but could not distinguish the words. A minute later he heard an explosion on the dredge and saw fire and smoke and steam. The dredge sank at once and the stern of the tug was drawn into water before the hull could be cleared. The Waite was immediately put about but no trace of the dredge or her crew could be found. After searching the vicinity for half an hour the tug headed for this harbor, arriving in the dark, the cables having been cut. As soon as the stem had subdivided the Waite again went out to the race, but nothing could be found, not even a floating piece of the dredge. The tug returned to port this evening. The names of the men on the ill-fated are not now known. As far as can be learned, they were Captain Robert Koch, Master, Simeon and his brother, the stowards, of Providence, a deck hand known as Sandy, the fireman and a Providence man who was working his passage to Brooklyn.

Judge Lynch in Georgia.

PONT GAINES, Ga., Nov. 2.—In Bluffton, on Saturday evening, a novel execution of a lynch court sentence took place. A pair of boots had been stolen from one of the stores during the day and their possession was traced to John Rogers, a 15-year-old negro. The merchant immediately organized a court by selecting Samuel Farrett as Judge, and Dr. J. H. Johnson as prosecuting attorney, and appointing General W. F. Green for defense, and six colored men for a jury, the foreman of which was step-father of the accused. After the presentation of the evidence and argument by the counsel the jury retired, and in a few minutes returned a verdict of guilty, and recommended that the negro be hanged and inflicted on him 100 lashes with a whalebone whip.

The prisoner was led out and tied, so that he could not squirm under the blows. Pierce Dizier acted as bailiff and counted the blows. The old man laid on the blow rapidly, drawing each stroke from the boy. On the 50th lash he exclaimed: "If you let me off for God I won't do it again."

The lynchman was inexorable, however, and not until even 100 lashes had been inflicted was the work suspended.

Fighting Peles.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—At a Polish dance at 999 James Avenue last night, a general row and a terrific fight with knives took place. The hall was crowded and nearly every man in the place was armed with a knife. The women fled and the men fought it out among themselves. One man was killed and two were badly cut on the floor covered with blood. A large number of the participants in the fight were cut, but managed to escape.

Thomas Heff (20) years of age, had three cuts at his head, everyone one inch long.

Aust Lishum had three decombs in the kitchen, the last being on the bone, one cut over his left eye, two on his left hand and one on his right hand. He was taken to the police station, where medical assistance was procured.

Lauham will probably die, but Heff will recover.

Sovereign Storm.

BOSTON, Nov. 2.—The severest wind and rain storm experienced here in many years prevailed to-day, and along shore. The harbor was tossed into immense billows. Numerous vessels lay at the piers, and several of them were badly damaged by being dashed together or against the docks. As far as can be ascertained, no lives were lost. Advice from Portland, Maine, Portsmouth, New Hampshire and other points on the coast report an extremely severe wind storm the afternoon and night went ahead. One large schooner was completely wrecked.

The Marine Bank Swindle.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—It was rumored here to-day that Mayor Grace and several other prominent individuals are to be arrested for alleged complicity in the Marine bank frauds. United States Attorney Durkee, when questioned about the matter, said:

"It is true that several prominent men have been involved in these frauds on the Marine bank, but they have not been arrested as yet."

It is reported that warrants have been issued, but nothing definite has been yet ascertained.

The Walkup Case.

EMPIRE, Ky., Nov. 2.—This morning the Walkup case was opened by Judge Graves giving his instructions to the jury. They are said to be very impartial, leaving all to the good judgment of the jury. Mr. Steery, of counsel for the prosecution, occupied all the morning in addressing the jury. He will be followed by one of the counselees for the defense.

Terrible Week.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—The dredging machine, Atlantic No. 4, while being towed to New York last night, passed her buoy in the gale, and it is feared that all on board are lost. The crew consisted of seven men in charge of Captain K. E. Weston.

Escaped after the Justice Faethon. LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 2.—Weston, the Choate wife-murderer, was executed after the Indian fashion on the reservation in the Kentucky jail, his body being ridged with bullet. Weston murdered his wife at one year ago.

Counterfeiter Executed.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 2.—Eugene, chief of one of the most daring counterfeiting camps in Arkansas, was to-day sentenced to 10 years in the penitentiary prison at Detroit.

THE GREAT MASQUERADE.

The Fantastic Ballantyne They
in Wayne County, N. Y.
"You never saw such funny faces up to this till" said a veritable
fable to a reporter the other day.
One man in a field on the highway
was as green as a gourd. The
other was a somber, pale-faced
man, whose nose was as distorted
as a crooked nose, nose and lip-like
as a man's face, and so like-like

FROM CORISCANA.

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE

Will Meet Wednesday—A House of Bibles,
Gems and Curios—Sales—Business
to Harry and Other Miss
Matters About Town and
Out in the Country.

CORISCANA, Nov. 2—[Special.]—The house of William Bishop, at Mexia, caught fire about 6 o'clock this morning and was totally destroyed, although the greater part of the furniture was saved. It is thought the fire originated from a lamp which had been left in the sleeping room of a daughter, who had just arisen. There was an insurance of \$300 on the furniture and \$1,200 on the building. The house is owned by the Phoenix Insurance company of Hartford, R. I., and is a total loss. Insured in the Dallas Fire Assessment company for \$4,400.

Word was received here to-day of the burning during Saturday night, of the school house by the neighborhood. It was located eight miles northeast of here, and was worth about \$800. Insured in the Springfield Insurance company for \$300. It was the work of an incendiary.

A FARMER'S CONVENTION.—Quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, will meet here next Wednesday. The Northwest Texas Annual conference of the same church will meet in this city also on the 11th instant. About 200 delegates are expected to be in attendance.

An alliance sale of 100 bales of cotton will take place to-morrow at Dallas.

McKINNEY, Nov. 2—[Special.]—A good crowd was in town to-day and two extra stages were sold, but many had private stock for sale. Extra stage day is becoming a general market day.

What buyers have nearly ceased buying wheat, because of inability to obtain a ship to put it on, are growing both loud and deep. It seems that for the difference in price the railroads are utilizing box cars to ship cotton, utterly unfeeling of the fact that the granger will bear this in mind when he sits as juror on the next damage suit. The action of the railroads in this regard is causing increasing dissatisfaction, and injury, at this time, to the grain-shipping station, Allen, and possibly other points. Numbers of loads of grain are standing on the street without buyers, and there are others awaiting the outcome.

On the coming day an application for injunction of the cooperative will be made.

M. Malis is hearing before Judge Wolfe. Malis has a place in life insurance company, and this is preliminary to the collection of the life policy. Malis was a restaurant keeper here.

Palatines.

PLATINE, Nov. 2—[Special.]—The strike at the Howard Oil Mills has ended, the manager having made a satisfactory settlement of the differences.

Fourteen ladies and gentlemen of this city have organized themselves into a home social dramatic club and will give the public evidence of their superior dramatic talent in the production of a popular English domestic drama at the opera house on Christmas Day. President: Mrs. A. C. Karr, vice-president: M. Crowes, secretary: A. A. Axth, treasurer.

Sunday evening the A. O. W. club organized by ten popular young gentlemen of the city, with the following officers: A. A. Axth, president; Frank Lucy, vice-president; Dan Elmer, treasurer.

The object of the club is mutual improvement and the promotion of association enjoyment.

Denison.

DENISON, Nov. 2—[Special.]—Dr. Johnson's little daughter died at Gainesville Saturday night. Mrs. Johnson and the little girl were there on a visit. The little girl was sick only 48 hours. The funeral took place to-day.

Mrs. Dr. Williamson is very sick at her sister's, Mrs. Cambrell.

The sad news of the death of Mrs. H. Rue was received this morning from Shermes. A large number of friends from this city will attend the funeral, which takes place to-morrow at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Rue was formerly at 10 o'clock.

The forces of the Herald-News have struck for 20 cents per thousand, and there will be no paper out in the morning.

Mr. Stuffy was arrested this evening for selling drink to minors.

Autumn Flowers.

The golden rod and aster are not the only autumn wild flowers available for recreation. Very few persons seem to know that the witch-hazel is now in bloom. No wonder that this shrub has been from time immemorial regarded with superstitious reverence. It flowers and perfumes its fruit out of the common order.

If the customer was allowed in the kitchen he would find a boy seated on a bench, having in front of him a spokes wheel, that of a wooden chair, with 16 numbers covered with black shades, while beside it are two handles like levers. Another customer is heard entering the restaurant; he seats himself at a table, punctuates out what he wants, and presents the electric button at his side. Down falls the switch marked No. 2 which the boy pushes on a connecting switch marked No. 2, gives a haul at one of the levers and turns the wheel. The haul at the lever pulls the No. 2 table under the shelf and places it on a well-oiled framway, and the turn of the wheel brings the table to the customer. The boy then reaches the kitchen. On the table the plates, the order, the boy reverses the wheel, thus keeping his eye on a pliant flat wire which runs around the hub of the wheel and which is marked with numbers up to sixteen. As soon as No. 2 marks on this card, reaches the switch which is turned the boy moves reversed, and the customer is served. All the tables can be moved at once by the transfer of the switches, or as many as orders come in.

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As the rod berries of the dogwood and the golden leaves of the spice-bush will not be recognized by the casual viewer, because both of these bloom in spring before the leaves appear. But the dogwood bears white-sheathed berries, and before its leaves come, it shows its green buds ready for blossoming in March or April.

No fair visitor to the park this beautiful autumn season need return with her hands empty, for the richest treasures await her. But let her not attempt to varnish her leaves or dry them in the sun, for they will not be good for her.

—Old men tottering around from Rheumatism, Kidney trouble or any weakness will be made almost new by using hop bitters.

—My wife and daughter were made healthy by the use of hop bitters, and I recommend them to my people.

—[Methodist Clergyman.]

Ask any good doctor if hop bitters are not the best medicine on earth!!!

—Malvav. Arne and Billon-

ness will leave every neighborhood as soon as hop bitters arrive.

—My mother droves the paralysis and neuralgia out of her system with hop bitters.—Ed. Oswego Sun.

—Keep the kidneys healthy with hop bitters and you need not fear sickness.

—The vigor of youth for the aged and infirmary in hop bitters!!!

—At the change of life nothing equals Hop Bitter to lay all troubles incident.

—The best periodical for ladies to take monthly, and from which they will receive the greatest benefit is hop bitters.

—To produce real genuine sleep and child-like repose all night, take a little hop bitters and you need not fear sickness.

—None sleeping without a bunch of green hops on the white label. Shoot an arrow with hop bitters star with "hop" or "hops" in their name.

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—We have multiplied diseases.—Dr. Russ, Philadelphia.

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